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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants submit attached Form PTO/SB/08B (modified) for consideration and request the copy of the Office Action cited therein be made of record by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") in the above-captioned application.

Applicants respectfully point out that the submission of the listed Office Action in this Information Disclosure Statement is not an admission that it is prior art or that it is material to patentability of any claims of the application. Also, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not an indication that a search has been made by Applicants.

Additionally, Applicants wish to note that the existence of co-pending application no. 11/429,053 was previously called to the Examiner's attention in an Information Disclosure Statement filed April 16, 2008.

Consideration of the foregoing plus the prompt return of a copy of the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08B with the Examiner's initials in the left column in accordance with MPEP 609 are respectfully requested.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the issuance of a final Office Action or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0206 in the amount of \$180.00 as set forth in § 1.17(p). In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges, please charge or credit any difference to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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